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\$1.50 IN ADVANCE.

## PROF. AND MRS. CHAPMAN ENTERTAIN A HOST.

### Four Hundred Members Of Maine Festival Chorus

#### Visit Bethel By Special Train--Hallelujah Chorus Sung From Mountain Top.

The Chapman picnic which was postponed one week on the account of the weather, occurred last Saturday. Postponed affairs are often more or less failures but such was not the case this time for nearly 400 people from all sections of Maine, members of the Maine Festival Chorus and friends of Prof. and Mrs. Chapman came to Bethel to enjoy a day which will long remain in their memory.

The special train arrived in Bethel at 11 a. m. and though the town did not turn out en masse to meet the guests of our distinguished townsman yet a throng of people were lined up along the roadway as the visitors alighted from the train. Various teams and automobiles were in waiting and soon the highway from Bethel to the Chapman home in Mayville was thronged with Maine sippers, some in farm wagons, some in fancy hitches, some in automobiles and many on foot.

The first stop was made at the Chapman homestead in Mayville, at which place a ten or fifteen minute rest was taken and then the movement was made toward the George Chapman place. The teams and automobiles were busy all the while, as were those who were not fortunate enough to gain admission to either, and it was quite a bit past the noon hour before the last of the procession arrived at said Chapman place where the baked beans and coffee joined the view which had come from afar in making up a menu which must have been appreciated, for if ever things designed to satisfy the demands of the inner man found the right spot these must have found such a spot in the interior of many a pedestrian last Saturday afternoon. After lunch came the mountain climb and the party wended its joyous way up to the Howard Chapman place. Here an address of welcome was made by Mr. Chapman, prayer was offered by Rev. W. C. Curtis, remarks made by Mr. Frank of Kennebunk and several others, and the Hallelujah chorus was sung.

Mr. Chapman in his remarks said to the guests that he would give to the Maine Music Festival the Howard Chapman farm and \$5000 in money on condition that the Festival raise \$5000 more for the purpose of building a home for the members of the Festival to be used as a summer camping place and to which all members should have access for such purposes. The members were very enthusiastic over the matter and the proposition was discussed by different ones more or less during the day. A committee consisting of A. S. Woodman, S. W. Bates and Geo. E. Smith was appointed to take the matter up in Portland.

Many were there, however, who were not to be satisfied by that much of a climb and, after the exercises, went on and on to the remotest part of the upper clearing, and from this elevation, inspired by their environment, they sang the Hallelujah chorus. After mingling there for a time they reluctantly retraced their steps down the mountain to the Howard Chapman place, rejoined the rest of the party and returned to the George Chapman place where ice cream and lunch was served and their journey stationward was begun. Again the teams and automobiles came to their relief only to prove again inadequate for the occasion. They did the best they could, however, but left many to make the journey afoot but not alone.

Their special was in waiting at the overlook bridge and we venture the suggestion that the seats having had several hours rest were not a wee bit hard as they came in contact with those weary, but happy and almost scenery intoxicated picnickers.

Truly Saturday was a gala day for Bethel. It is seldom that we are visited by special train parties and our distinguished neighbors and friends, Prof. and Mrs. Chapman, should congratulate themselves in the possession of such a host of friends among the best blood of Maine as their guests on so happy and long to be remembered occasion.

## OXFORD COUNTY REPUBLICAN CONVENTION

### Bartlett for Sheriff on Fourth Ballot.

#### Stirring Speech by Hon. John P. Swasey.

The Oxford County Republican Convention was called to order at 10:30 a. m. by Alton C. Wheeler, Esq., chairman of the County Committee and the call was read by the secretary, Dr. H. H. Harris of Oxford. The chairman then announced the secretaries of the convention, E. C. Fowler of Bethel, Walter G. Morse of Rumford and F. E. Stearns of Ilwaco.

Chairman Wheeler then introduced Hon. John P. Swasey, Representative to Congress from the second district, as chairman of the convention. Mr. Swasey stepped to the chair amid tremendous applause. When he had waved the enthusiastic delegates and spectators to silence he delivered one of his characteristic, able, and eloquent speeches. He expressed his pleasure to meet and look into the faces of his old friends and fellow Republicans of old Oxford again. He paid a glowing tribute to the world famous and honored Theodore Roosevelt, likewise to his able and worthy successor, Wm. H. Taft.

He then recalled his experiences as Representative of the Second District, affirming that Wm. H. Taft was inaugurated President of the United States not only in one of the most stormy days that the great city of Washington ever saw, but during the most stormy periods that the government has known since the days of Abraham Lincoln.

He defended the present tariff bill not as a perfect bill, but as a vast improvement over the one which it succeeded. He affirmed that the revelation was downward despite the claims of our enemies to the contrary, and in answer to the charge that President Taft is a friend of the trust, declared that he had the trusts after him, because of his aggressive warfare against them, as no other President ever had. His speech was a strong defense of the administration and was enthusiastically applauded.

The convention then being ready for business, Chas. F. Barnes of Norway moved that the County Committee be a committee of credentials. The committee reported the number of delegates to which each town is entitled, making 91 in all, all of whom were present.

Following the report of the committee on credentials, Hon. Walter Pettengill moved that the temporary organization be made permanent.

Roscoe F. Staples then moved that the chair appoint a committee of seven delegates to prepare and present resolutions. The following were appointed: Roscoe F. Staples of Oxford, E. W. Howarth, Ilwaco; T. L. Eastman, Fryeburg; Eugene Evans, Stoneham; A. R. Chaffin, Bethel; John S. Harlow, Dixfield; Frank P. Thomas of Andover.

The following were then elected as county committee: Rumford district, Capt. L. W. Blanchard; Norway district, W. Scott Deane; Dixfield district, Alton C. Wheeler; Bethel district, Maurice W. Foster; Woodstock district, E. C. Fowler.

Mr. Roberts of Norway presented the name of Albert J. Stearns, Esq., for State Senator. The nomination was seconded by Mr. Eastman of Fryeburg and the nomination was made by acclamation.

Mr. Wheeler presented the name of Chas. F. Whitman as Clerk of Courts. Nomination was made by acclamation. C. F. Barnes, Esq., presented the name of Geo. M. Alwood of Paris, for County Treasurer, who was nominated by acclamation.

Mrs. Walter Pettengill nominated Ralph T. Parker as County Attorney. The nomination was made by acclamation. Judge A. H. Herriek presented the name of J. Hastings Bean as Register of Deeds. Nomination was made by acclamation.

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## SPECIAL TOWN MEETING.

At the special town meeting held in Bethel last Saturday afternoon under article 2 it was voted to authorize the selectmen to release the corncrib to the H. P. Webb Co. for a term of years, and under article three it was voted to authorize the Treasurer to raise money to pay outstanding bills.

This last article was made necessary by the fact that the treasury is several thousand dollars short of funds to pay outstanding bills that are due, and this is explained from the fact that no account was allowed on taxes at the last March meeting. There was a feeling at the time that the town made a mistake in its action in not voting a discount. The discount has always been brought in several thousand dollars in July and made it easy for all bills to be met but as long as no discount was allowed no money was forth coming this year. The town will doubtless see to it that this experience will not be repeated.

## BEST PILGRIMAGE EVER ENJOYED

### By Members of Strathglass Commandery

#### Was the one to Gorham Friday and Saturday.

The members of Strathglass Commandery and their ladies are loud in their praises of the pilgrimage which was held Friday and Saturday of last week in honor of St. John's Day, and it is conceded by all that the affair was one of the pleasantest and most successful in every way of any ever held by the society.

The pilgrimage commenced Friday morning, when the party which numbered over one hundred, started by auto for the Mt. Madison House at Gorham, N. H. and all were to arrive at this place in time for dinner. Of the large number of autos required to carry the party, only one met with any kind of a breakdown and this was repaired so that its passengers arrived at their destination during the afternoon. Each car carried two white ponies with the name of the Commandery in black letters and every member of the party wore blue badges lettered in silver with the name of the Commandery and the words "Compilmentary to the ladies, June 24-25."

The weather was showery during the afternoon Friday, so a greater number of the party spent the time very

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## TWADDLE-BROOKS.

At Mettallux Island, in Umbagog Lake, the summer home of Harry Dotson, amid most picturesque surroundings of mountains and lake and forest, occurred the wedding of Dr. Wild Brown Twaddle of Fryeburg and Miss Addie Angus Brooks on Wednesday at high noon.

Nature was in her most smiling mood and lent her every attraction to enhance the beauty of the scene. The island was an oval gem in the silver setting of the lake, over which gaily decked motor boats conveyed the guests from Lakeside.

The house was beautifully decorated with evergreens, ferns and bluish roses. In the spacious living room were flowers in profusion. The fireplace was banked with roses and an arch was formed at one end of evergreens and bluish roses.

The bridal party entered to the strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding March played by Miss Eva Twaddle, sister of the groom. The bride's attendants, Mrs. Gerry Brooks, Mrs. Chas. Fox, Miss Ethel Richardson and Miss Ethel Warren, formed an aisle of white satin ribbons. Mrs. Harry Brooks, mother of the groom, preceded the bride who was attended by her father until met at the altar by the groom with his best man, Harry Twaddle. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Chas. Skinner, pastor of Congregational church, Colebrook, N. H., and was very impressive, the double ring service being used.

The bride was beautiful in a gown of white muslin and lace. She wore a veil fastened with a bluish rose and carried a bouquet of bluish roses. The matron of honor was charming in cream silk, as princess with a collar of pearls and carried a shower bouquet of valley flowers. Mrs. Brooks, mother of the bride was attired in white silk. The ushers were Gerry Brooks, Harry Brooks, Grever Brooks and Charles Fox.

A reception followed the ceremony after which wedding breakfast was served in the dining room which was beautifully decorated. The tables were exquisite with carvillies, bluish roses and amaranth. Refreshments were lobster salad, chicken croquettes, French peas, Parker House rolls, punch, ice cream, coffee and cakes. The bride cut the wedding cake and Miss Mary Abbott found the ring. Harry Twaddle the silver and Dr. John Twaddle the bluish. The many gifts were choice and beautiful and consisted of china, silver, cut glass and works of art.

The bluish traveling gown was a handsome costume of blue cloth with Puritan trimming and hat to match. A shower of rice and confetti and other manifestations of affection greeted the happy couple left by boat or Lakeside where an automobile was waiting.

Mrs. Twaddle, the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alden Brooks, is a beautiful and accomplished young woman of most winsome personality and has a host of friends. Since graduating from Gorham Academy she has been a popular and successful teacher. She has been prominent in church and social matters in this and other towns and is a favorite with old as well as young. Dr. Twaddle is a son of Dr. and Mrs. John Twaddle of Bethel. After graduating from Bowdoin Medical School he located in Fryeburg where he has established a large and successful practice. After two weeks Dr. and Mrs. Twaddle will commence housekeeping in Fryeburg, Maine.

Among one of town guests were Dr. and Mrs. John Twaddle, Harry Twaddle, Miss Eva Twaddle, Miss Ethel Richardson, N. H. M. and Mrs. Harry Brooks, Berchester, Mass., and Mrs. Gerry Brooks, Portland, Robert Sanborn,

## NOTABLE OBSERVANCE OF ST. JOHN'S DAY.

### By the Catholic Societies of Rumford.

#### Beautiful Decorations and Splendid Parade.

The observance of St. John's Day by St. Jean de Baptiste Society of Rumford, was held on Sunday with very impressive exercises. High mass was observed at the church of St. John de Baptiste at ten o'clock, Bishop Louis S. Walsh of Portland, Bishop of Maine, conducting the service it being a Confirmation service and a class of 149 children were confirmed. This was followed by a sermon by the Bishop.

The leading feature of the day was the parade which took place about two o'clock. The St. Jean de Baptiste Order of Catholic Foresters had over one hundred members in the parade. They were escorted by the Rumford Band, the Fanfare St. Cecile Boys' Band of Lewiston, the Societe 1<sup>re</sup> Assomption, Court Rumford Falls, Independent Order of Foresters and the local lodge of Artisans, there being in all about 400 men in the line. The officers of the St. Jean de Baptiste Society, which is the ladies' auxiliary to the St. Jean de Baptiste Society, followed in carriages. John B. Tardif, President of the Society rode at the head as chief marshal and was assisted by Arthur St. Pierre. Chief of Police Villotte was also mounted and was followed by Officers Brooks and Dennis. In the Parade was a float decorated with flags and bunting, on which rode a little boy wrapped in a sheep's pelt and by his side rode a lamb, an impersonation of St. John in his boyhood. This was a pretty feature of the parade and was liberally applauded on the line of march.

The line of march was a long one and included River, Congress, Franklin, Pine, Percival, Waldo, Hancock and Washington streets and Main, Oxford, Lincoln and Rumford Avenues, it being about three miles from the starting place over the route to the finish at the same point where the start was made. All along the line of march the stores and houses in large numbers were decorated with the National colors.

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The speaker then drew a vivid word picture of St. John, his coming forth from the wilderness to preach the word of God, his talks to the people on the banks of the Jordan, his absolute fearlessness in speaking what he considered it was his duty to reveal to the people and the heroism with which he bore the sufferings inflicted upon him because of his bold proclaiming of the truth. It was the mission of John to arouse the people, he accomplished his mission and in so doing made possible the great work of Jesus, which in a small way we are endeavoring to do at the present time.

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## WANT COLUMN.

Put your Want and Sale notices here and they will be read in 3,000 Oxford County homes—4 lines 1 week 25c. 3 weeks 50c.

PINK AND GREEN TOURMALINE—Very fine and for sale very cheap. Inquire of HARRY DUDLEY, Buckfield, Me.

FOR SALE—Two and three inch hemlock plank, also hemlock and spruce boards. Inquire of Z. W. BARTLETT, E. Bethel, Me. 5-37 t.

Dr. Daniels—Horse Colic—Cures cures or money back—at any dealers; insure your horse against Colic.

WE WANT AGENTS local and traveling. Age 25 to 50. Employment the whole year if desired. Outfit free. Pay weekly. Write for terms. HOMER N. CHASE & CO. Nurserymen, Auburn, Me.

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WANTED. We want to develop your aims. Write for the handy mailing envelope we furnish FREE. Miss Libby, Photographer, Norway, Maine.

FOR SALE—Set of buildings, consisting of six room house with pantry, and city water, shed and barn, one acre of land with fruit trees and garden, situated within one-half mile of postoffice, schools and church. A. P. JORDAN, Bethel, Me. 6-16 3 t.

FOR SALE at a Bargain—Two four-foot Show Cases. Will be sold cheap if taken at once. See them at Fernald's Drug Store, Rumford, Me. 6-23 t.

TO LET—River Side Farm or buildings for summer cottage with furnishings. Local and long distance telephone connected with stable, house and lawn. Also first class chance to do butchering and handle meats. O. C. DRYANT, Bethel, Me. 6-23 t.

FOR SALE—Six or eight tons of upland hay pressed. Inquire of IRVING L. CARVER, Bethel, Me. 6-23 t.

LOST—Automobile number plate No. 2935. Finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving same at the Citizen office, Bethel or notifying the office.

Inward thought. The forms and culture of society may be the means of making men appear alike, but we are vastly different. The outward may be the reflection of the conditions in which we live but the inward is not so influenced. Remember we are souls, ever life is a purpose. No man has a right to drift down the stream of life, never making any effort to stem the current. No man can ever be useless in this world who has a heart that can be warmed by seeing the care of another. Today we have more problems and needs than ever before. We need men who think rightly and can express their thoughts. One of our greatest problems is the man whose thinking is faulty and yet in that thinking he is sincere. He believes he is right and will make all sacrifices to stand by his principles. Another problem is the man that thinks rightly, leading a righteous life but says nothing, making no effort to become an influence for good in the community in which he lives. We need a larger citizenship that means more than the paying of our taxes. We must act on the square and live on the level and use what ever influence we possess to have others do the same. The music for the service was furnished by the mixed quartette of the church. Mrs. F. E. Randall, taking the place of Mrs. Blanchard who was away from home.

GARD OF THANKS. We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their kindness, help and beautiful flowers, during the sickness and death of our beloved father. We also extend thanks to the Misses Olsen and Packard for their beautiful music, and for the comforting words of the pastor Mr. Little.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sanborn, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Sanborn, Mrs. Carrie Sanborn, Miss Ella Sanborn.

NOTICE. The stores in Bethel will close at noon Monday, and remain closed the rest of the day, with the exception of the drug store.

NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that the Bethel Savings Bank has been notified that book of deposit issued by said bank to Lucie M. Morse and numbered 117, has been destroyed by fire, and that the holder is to have a new book of deposit issued to her.

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## FOR FAIRNESS AND INTEGRITY

### Beautiful Chain and Charm Presented To

#### R. M. Woodsum by Employees of The M. C. R. R.

Several weeks ago R. M. Woodsum left the employment of the Maine Central Railroad to become manager of the R. M. Woodsum Fuel Company, after serving for a period of sixteen years, first under the management of the Portland and Rumford Falls Railroad and then under the management of the Maine Central Company when they leased the property of the former company, as train dispatcher on this division. During this long term of faithful service he was the friendship and esteem of all the large number of the employees with which his work made him an associate. His new career a token of that friendship which he prizes most highly.

On Wednesday of last week he received as a gift from over fifty of his former associates who were employed by the Company during his term of service with them, a very beautiful gold watch-chain and charm. The chain, in particular, being one of the most beautiful designs the writer has ever seen. On the face of it, embossed in a most handsome manner are the emblems of the Commandery Branch of the Masons Order. On the back is embossed with appropriate coloring and letters the three links of the Odd Fellows order and the following words are also engraved: "Presented to R. M. Woodsum by the employees of the M. C. R. R."

Accompanying the chain and charm was a list of names of those who united in making the gift and the following words: "This chain and charm is presented to Mr. R. M. Woodsum as an expression of our appreciation of his fairness and integrity shown during his long service as dispatcher by" then followed the names of over fifty who had united in making the gift.

Gifts which come to one in the manner in which this was presented cannot fail to be deeply appreciated by the recipient and the esteem in which Mr. Woodsum is held by his former associates is a source of great satisfaction to him.

## WALTON LODGE, K. OF P.

### Instituted At Mexico Friday Evening.

#### Grand Officers and Many Visitors Present.

Walton Lodge, No. 142, Knights of Pythias, was instituted at Mexico Friday evening by the Grand Officers of the Order, Grand Chancellors, Frederick Tower of Portland, Grand Keeper of Records and Seal, W. E. Ricker of Portland and Grand Priests Fred L. Hatchels of Portland.

Metallic Lodge of Rumford worked the Degree of Page and the Degree of Esquire and a combined team of Oxford Bear Lodge of Andover and Metallic Lodge worked the Degree of Knight. Visiting Knights were present from Portland, Lewiston, Livermore, Andover, Haverhill, and Rumford.

The Lodge starts with thirty charter members and several have already applied for membership and will be admitted as soon as the degree team can begin their working order. The officers of the new lodge are as follows: Past Chancellors—P. L. Woodard, C. L. Haskin, W. S. Crommett, Harold Melanson.

Chancellor Commander—George A. Haskin. Vice Chancellor—Bert W. Goodwin. Preceptor—Dr. O. L. Haskin. Master of Work—F. C. Berry. Keeper of Records and Seal—Harold Melanson.

Master of Finance—W. S. Crommett. Master of Exchequer—A. E. Davis. Master of Arms—Leon M. Small. Inner Guard—Lewis Small. Outer Guard—Frank L. Bean.

## NOTICE TO ORCHARDISTS AND FARMERS.

Prof. Hittchings of the Agricultural Dept. will be at Bethel, July 1st and will give a demonstration on spraying both European and American in German Measles orchards. Everybody interested should attend. Spraying has come to stay and the quicker we learn the secrets of the art the better we can combat our latest pests and no where can we look for higher authority than in Prof. Hittchings.

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THURSDAY, JUNE 30, 1910.

"There have been many famous ugly men," says the Boston Post. Yes, and a lot of us who are not famous.

After solemn consideration science has admitted that microbes are the least dangerous features of kissing.

The cold storage people may be interested to learn that food 3,000 years old has been discovered in an Egyptian tomb.

Noah Carpenter of Connecticut insists that he has rheumatism in his wooden leg. Mr. Carpenter should make himself a new one.

If the weather man has merely been showing us what he can do, he might as well let up. We'll take everything else for granted.

If New Orleans insists on having the Panama canal celebration, San Francisco may get spiteful and start a rival Mardi Gras celebration.

The tone of a long tramp out of doors beats the doctor's medicine. What a well crowd of Maine Festivalists there must be this week.

That aeroplane race between Chicago and New York will be a great contest, but wait until the aviators get to flitting all the way around the globe!

A Pennsylvania judge decides that a woman is not compelled to live with her mother-in-law. When some court decides that about a man, we shall begin to have equality of the sexes.

Man gets five years in prison for putting dynamite on car tracks "just for fun." It's horrible to think what would have happened to him if he'd been in earnest.

An inventor has perfected a device by which he claims rubber tires for automobiles may be superceded. He calls the invention an "airproof," and it consists of plungers working on air cushions. There is no question that many features of automobiles and other vehicles have sought long and hard for something that might take the place of rubber, the limited supply and high cost of which has made a substitute desirable. And should the "airproof" prove a success it may take some of the elasticity out of the rubber speculation which has been so extensively carried on in England and elsewhere.

## RUMFORD FOOT BRIDGE.

How many of our readers were in the vicinity of the foot bridge Sunday afternoon and saw the crowd of people that were out to see the St. John's Day parade pass over the bridge? Did you pass over the bridge yourself, and if so, how do you feel about the safety of the structure under such conditions? The writer was one that went over the bridge at that time and probably within the space of ten minutes 500 men, women and children crossed the bridge. He is frank to say that his mind was much easier when his feet struck solid ground on the opposite shore. The way of the bridge was so great that one could not help being thrown against the side rail and never standing on the banks and watching the crowd pass over could not help but feel that the structure was not substantial enough to be subjected to such strain.

The fact that the bridge is only rarely subjected to such a weight is an argument in favor of allowing such conditions to exist. In the bridge over down college it will probably be under similar conditions and it will carry the large mass of struggling humanity down with it.

The structure should be allowed to remain for the use of the public.

the which is not equal to the strain however great it may be, that may be put upon it at any time. Nearly all the great catastrophes that occur are due to headlessness and neglect; people recognize that there is danger in allowing the conditions to exist but to repair or remedy them will cost money, thus theatre owners and other public service corporations go on and expose their patrons to dangers which they know should be remedied. The expected happens, many lives are lost and for a time public indignation runs high. Then it is gradually forgotten and things move on as before until some other negligent person or corporation permits the same thing to occur again. In this case it is for the people themselves to say whether they care to continue taking such chances with human life; whether they will allow this condition to exist until the fatal day arrives and the town of Rumford stands disgraced in the eyes of the public in general. It surely is a matter that demands careful consideration.

## OXFORD COUNTY REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

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Mr. Eastman presented the name of E. H. Ballard as Register of Deeds from Western district, who was nominated by acclamation.

E. H. Fox of Lovell nominated Geo. W. Walker of Lovell as County Commissioner for six years. Hon. W. H. P. Taylor seconded the nomination.

W. H. P. Taylor presented the name of Edward H. Backus of Portland, seconded by J. A. Wright, Esq. The vote was taken and resulted as follows:

Whole number votes cast, 90  
Geo. W. Walker, 46  
W. H. Backus, 44

A. J. Stearns, Esq. introduced W. H. Eastman of East Sumner for the short term. Nomination was made by acclamation.

For Sheriff  
W. L. Gray of St. Paris, nominated W. J. Wheeler, Esq. of Bethel, seconded by P. P. Ross of Bethel, C. P. Darnall, Esq. of Bethel, J. A. Wright, Esq. of Portland, and G. W. C. Taylor of Bethel.

First Ballot.  
Whole number votes cast, 91  
P. P. Ross, 21  
J. A. Wright, 24  
W. J. Wheeler, 34

Second Ballot.  
Whole number votes cast, 91  
W. J. Wheeler, 46  
P. P. Ross, 45

Third Ballot.  
Whole number votes cast, 91  
W. J. Wheeler, 46  
P. P. Ross, 45

Fourth Ballot.  
Whole number votes cast, 91  
W. J. Wheeler, 46  
P. P. Ross, 45

Wheeler was declared elected. The nomination was made unanimous by the other candidates.

## HANOVER.

Schools in town closed Friday, June 24th. Exercises were held at the village school house, followed by a picnic in the field below Mr. Smith's house.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Bartlett, of Danchester, Mass., spent the past week with Mrs. Bartlett's brother, J. G. J. and L. A. Roberts and family.

Several members of Oxford Bear Lodge, K of P, went to Mexico Friday night to assist in organizing a K of P lodge in that town.

Mrs. Martha Bartlett and son, who have spent the winter at their Bethel home, have returned to their farm for the summer.

I. Arthur Hill, of Hallowell, spent several days of last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Baker.

## An Indirect Answer.

"Is any good looking?"  
"I don't care to say, but I understand that if a man ever does marry her it will be for her money."

## OBITUARY.

Lewis A. Sanborn, a life long resident of Bethel, passed away June 22, at the old homestead, in his 55th year. He was a man of robust constitution, rarely ill, ill about a week before he died. He was a worthy citizen, honored and respected by all who knew him; devoted to his home and family, a great friend to children, many of whom outside the family learned to love him.

His wife died three years ago. He leaves one brother, Jerome Sanborn, two sons, Albert B. who with his wife came to live with his father, and carry on the place, after the mother died, Charles B. who lives in Newburyport, Mass., and two daughters, Mrs. Marie Scribner, of Bethel and Miss Ella Sanborn, at home.

There were many floral offerings, a beautiful tribute of the love and kind regards of many friends and relatives.

A floral pillow from the children, a sheaf of wheat, from Albert and wife, a pillow from C. H. Sanborn, basket of roses from Jerome Sanborn and family, roses from Mr. and Mrs. Allan Chapin, Pinks, from Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harrington, floral pieces from J. P. Skilling, and employees of the place, and Mrs. Blaney Jordan, basket of flowers from Miss Zedie Harrington. White roses from D. H. Mason and sister. A number of other offerings by friends, whose names were not obtained.

The family heartily appreciate the kindness and good will expressed by these offerings, and they wish to thank all the friends and neighbors for their sympathy and assistance.

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## ALBANY.

Frank Sloan of Albany was in Norway and South Paris last week on business.

Maud Becker has gone to Kines to work.

Mrs. Westcott and Ben. Inman have gone to Portland for a week.

Glyndon Sawin of North Waterford is visiting his aunt, Estelle Bean.

Mr. and Mrs. Laura Lord visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sawin of North Waterford last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Sawin has recently purchased Mr. Sawin's store and gone into business for himself and his many friends wish him good success.

A good number of people attended the Grange field day at West Bethel last Thursday.

## ANDOVER.

Rev. H. L. Packard preached the graduation sermon for the graduating class A. H. B. last Sunday.

Rev. G. B. Mansfield of Danchester, Conn., officiated at the Methodist church last Sabbath at 2 o'clock and 7 p. m.

Rev. P. L. Mansack of Arlington, Mass., will conduct services in the Universalist church this summer.

Mr. Herbert Campbell and family have gone to Groton, N. H., where he has work.

Miss Ellen S. Mitchell of Yarmouth, Me., is at Edmund Hall's.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Talbot from Portland, C. E. visited Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Talbot last week on their way to the west.

The Hook and Ladder Co. will give a ball on the evening of July 4th. An over orchestra of new pieces will furnish music and refreshments of ice cream and cake will be served.

C. A. Hand has purchased the saw mill owned by Oscar Damon. He expects to move his mill to Main St. to the new location and will take possession and be ready for business on September 1st.

Wednesday evening of last week the A. H. B. gave a social whist and dance at Town Hall.

Mrs. David Hand has gone to Hallowell, Me., to visit her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Hill.

Miss Martha Poor from Danville, Me., was in town last week for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. David Barrows went last week to Phillips, Me., for a few days.

Mrs. M. A. Barrows came home with them.

Oliver Strong has gone to the Lakes.

The annual session of Oxford Association of Teachers was held at the Universalist church Wednesday and Thursday June 29th and 30th.

## DIXFIELD ITEMS.

The Happenings of the Week as gathered by the Citizen Reporter.

Prof. W. J. Harrington of Boston, with Miss May L. Vannah and Miss Ambrose as assistants are in town giving a weeks lessons in voice culture and the reading of music by new methods. He has a class of over thirty, who are much interested in the work. The lessons are given at the E. B. church, evening, by the class and Prof. Harrington with his assistants.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Keene, Mr. and Mrs. Archer Klidder and Fred Ward are on a trip to Andover and Bryant's Pond Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Bartlett of Danchester, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Roberts of Danchester called on their cousins, Prof. Geo. D. Bartlett and sister Susan Bartlett, Saturday of last week.

In honor of Miss Lilla Band of Berry Hill, whose marriage to Arthur Stowell of this place is soon to occur, a variety shower was given at the home of Mrs. Wynifred Staples Smith of Danchester, Tuesday P. M. of last week. The Gypsies club with other friends numbering nineteen, made a jolly party. The affair was a complete surprise to Miss Band. Many beautiful and useful gifts were among the number. Tea and cake were served, and the occasion will long be remembered with much pleasure to all present.

These from Dixfield attending the semi-annual session of the Oxford Association of Universalists at Andover this week, Wednesday and Thursday, are Rev. and Mrs. Wm. E. Gable, Mrs. Ada E. Murch and Miss Etta Holman.

The ball game played between the Danchester and Dixfield, Saturday P. M., resulted in a score of 5 to 2 in favor of the Dixfields.

J. S. Harlow, M. W. Foster and Willis W. Walte are attending as delegates this week, the Republican State Convention being held at Augusta, also the County Convention held at South Paris.

J. P. Edmunds, Henry O. Thayer, and George Walters are attending as delegates the Republican Dist. Convention being held at Lewiston this Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Holland are spending the week at Lake Umbagog.

Mrs. Fania Virgin and daughter Thalia are at Worthy Pond for a few weeks.

Harold Marsh from Cambridge Law School arrived at his home Monday, and will spend his vacation here and at Lake Umbagog.

Mrs. Gertrude Cutts and two children from Danchester, are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Greenlaw.

Mrs. Alvin Smith and two children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Flagg at the east part of the town a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Stowell were at Madrid over Sunday.

Floyd Holt attended the graduating exercises of the High schools at Phillips and Strong this week.

Prof. Geo. D. Bartlett from Brooklyn, N. Y., is in town, spending his vacation at the Bartlett homestead.

Miss Ina Edmunds, daughter of J. P. Edmunds who has a position with the Y. W. C. A. in Detroit, Mich., is spending her vacation at her old home here.

Mr. and Mrs. David Atkins are visiting friends and relatives in Yarmouth and vicinity.

Those from here attending the annual session of the Knights Templar held at Danbury, N. H., Friday of last week, are as follows: Hon. and Mrs. Geo. L. Merrill, Hon. and Mrs. John A. Decker, Dr. and Mrs. Sturtevant, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Thayer, Mr. and Mrs. Guy O. Gardner, T. P. Holt, Miss Mary Row and Mrs. P. A. Gates.

Mrs. May Payne is visiting relatives at West.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Whitney of Bethel are in town for a few days.

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GEYRON ROWE.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Small spent Sunday with relatives at Bryant's Pond.

Mr. and Mrs. George Walters with three children are at Lake Umbagog for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Judkins and daughter are spending a vacation of two weeks at Lake Umbagog.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederic Talbot are Mary Frost were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall White, last week.

Mr. Talbot has been transferred from Portland, C. E. (where he has been in the government employ, as civil engineer) to Helena, Montana, and he with Mrs. Talbot started for that place Saturday of last week.

Mr. George Ricker who was operated upon for appendicitis recently at the Central Maine General Hospital arrived home Friday.

Mrs. Will H. Talbot of Lewiston is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Abbott.

PROF. AND MRS. CHAPMAN, THANK NEIGHBORS AND FRIENDS.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rogers Chapman desire to thank their neighbors and friends in Bethel, for the kind assistance which they rendered, and which helped to make the Festival of the Cross a success. The automobiles and carriages, which were so generously put into commission by their owners and which ran to and from and enabled many to enjoy the day, who could not possibly have walked the entire distance. All the plans for the day were carried out, but somewhat changed and hurried on account of the late arrival of the special train. It is a cause for gratitude that there was no accident of any kind, and that all reached their homes in safety. One unexplained ankle was the only reported discomfort of the day, and that was as serious as at first thought. If the plan of Mr. Chapman is carried out, and his generous offer of the mountain farm as a "Summer Home for Musicians" is accepted and worked out on the lines of the Mellowell Home in New Hampshire, it will surely be an addition and attraction to our village, and will bring to us each season, many guests to rest and enjoy our beautiful scenery. Mr. Chapman desires the work to go on, so he can see and enjoy it himself, and not wait until he has grown, and left it to others. The plan will undoubtedly meet with approval, and let us hope some moneyed man, may be generous enough, to assist in building the necessary house, and conveniences for such a home. Many letters have been received since Saturday, and all who were present were kind in their praise of Bethel, beautiful Bethel, with its invigorating mountain air, its delicious water, its glorious views, its heart's desired hospitalities. All expressed a desire to come again, to this lovely setting place among the hills.

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## PROBATE NOTICES.

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Fryburg in and for the County of Oxford, on the first Tuesday of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ten. The following matter having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen newspaper published in Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Fryburg, on the third Tuesday of July, A. D. 1910, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Charles C. Merrill late of Bethel, deceased, first and private accounts presented for allowance by Ellen A. Merrill, administratrix.

A true copy attested:  
ADDISON E. HERRICK,  
Judge of said Court.  
ALBERT D. PARK,  
Register.

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## NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed executor of the last will and testament of George F. Littlehale late of New



## RUMFORD.

P. E. Rendall was in Lewiston Saturday.

Arthur Landry spent Thursday in Portland.

Mrs. Elisha Stetson, who has been critically ill is improving.

Miss Evelyn Melcher has returned from her teaching in Milford, Ct., and is spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Melcher.

Misses Ida Mahrer and Louise Brahm are spending a week in Portland. Miss Mahrer will go from that place to her home in Fall River, Mass., for a visit.

Miss Bouchard has completed her studies at the St. Joseph school of Waterville for the summer and is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bouchard.

Mrs. Lewis Dowling attended the Universalist State Convention at Lewiston the first of last week and spent the remainder of the week with relatives in that city.

After completing her school, Miss Bessie Allen spent a week with Mrs. Lewis M. Irish, going Saturday to her home in Turner for the summer vacation.

John B. Martin of the E. K. Day Company is spending a vacation at Portland, Kennebunk, and at the summer home of his sister, Mrs. E. S. Hutchins at Lake Kezar.

Mrs. Everett Jesselyn of Portland has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George D. Bisbee and with them attended the Hebrew Commencement. Mr. Bisbee being a trustee of the Academy. She returned to her home Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Stanwood are attending the 58th annual meeting of the Maine Medical Association at Bar Harbor this week. Dr. Stanwood going as a delegate from the Oxford County Medical Association. He will deliver a paper before the Association on the subject "Some Problems in Infant Feeding."

Rumford Royal Arch Chapter has elected the following officers, who will probably be installed at the regular July meeting:  
H. W. Edwin H. Brown.  
R. Ralph M. Woodman.  
S. Oliver A. Pettengill.  
Treas.—Elmer L. Lovejoy.  
Sec.—J. E. Wesley Clark.  
C. H. Elisha Pratt.  
P. S.—Fred J. Latham.  
R. A. C.—John P. Shepherd.

At the last meeting of Arawana Council, Degree of Pochontas, the following officers were elected:  
Pochontas—Mrs. Guy Stanfield.  
Wise—Mrs. Eliza Wall.  
Dowdall—Fred Curtis.  
K. of R.—Mrs. Sadie Webber.  
K. of W.—Mrs. Eliza Ash.  
C. of W.—Mrs. Bertha Smith.  
It is expected that these officers and the appointed officers, also the officers of Wawawunka Tribe of Red Men will be installed on the same evening, members of the Grand Council being present at the joint installation and giving the ceremonies of the installation.

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Geo Small is visiting relatives here at Rumford.

The Methodist church is being newly shingled and otherwise repaired.

D. J. McCoy spent Sunday with his family, who are visiting at Berlin.

Miss Alice Gauthier is making a two weeks' trip through several of the Canadian cities.

Mrs. Della Belanger, who has been visiting relatives in town has returned to her home in Lewiston.

Mrs. Cyr P. Cyr is spending a vacation of several weeks with relatives at Van Buren and Presque Isle.

Supt. of Schools Ellingwood and wife will occupy the rent on Franklin street recently vacated by Prin. Douglass and wife.

The Maine Telephone Company have been granted permission to string wires on some additional streets in the village corporation.

Mrs. Marion Downes has been employed in the Mann Bakery during the absence of Miss May Farrell, who is enjoying a vacation.

Reginald Craig, son of Rev. and Mrs. A. T. Craig, graduated from Westbrook Grammar School last week and has now joined his parents here.

The family of Colin Mann, Miss Pearl McInnes and Mrs. William Cyr and two children enjoyed last week at a cottage at Worthy Pond.

The Junior choir at the Baptist church will furnish the music for the summer. They commenced their duties with much success last Sunday.

A new coat of paint has greatly improved the looks of the St. Athanasius church. The work of reglazing the grounds about the church is also progressing well.

Miss Zephia Gauthier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gauthier, has completed her studies at the convent at Chautauque, P. Q., with honors and has returned to her home here.

Miss Mertice Gott went Saturday to Kennebunk to attend the wedding of Miss Amanda Taylor and Mr. Arthur Neale of Rumford, which took place Tuesday. From that place she will go to Rockland to spend the summer with her family.

Thursday of last week Mrs. B. M. Woodman, in behalf of the Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church presented Mrs. G. W. Douglass with a beautiful cut glass berry dish. Mr. and Mrs. Douglass left for their new home in Massachusetts on Friday.

Thomas Gunner, James McGee, James Fitzgerald pleaded guilty to a charge of intoxication in the municipal court Saturday morning and received fines of \$1 and costs each. Mike Skinnop was given a hearing on a search and seizure charge and was discharged.

A party of young ladies known as the G. A. C. were delightfully entertained Wednesday of last week at the home of Miss Myra Reed of Roxbury. A picnic dinner on the bank of the river and various amusements made the day pass all too quickly. The party went to Roxbury on the morning train but returned by auto, Mr. Swain and Mr. Jassett going after them.

In regard to George H. Davis, Jr., when it is claimed that Rumford owing some small bills and having given out two checks for which there was no money in the bank with which to cash them, Mrs. Bates, with whom he has boarded, wishes it understood that as far as she is concerned the dealings of the young man have always been most honorable and he has never failed to keep his word. His departure was in no way a surprise to her as he had told her of his plans to go away. He also made arrangements with her to settle the bill he was owing her and did so even before she expected him to and in remitting he sent an amount that was considerably larger than he was owing as she had kept the account. We are more than pleased to make this statement for Mrs. Bates for it gives us much more pleasure to speak of the good qualities of a fellowman, than it does to be obliged to narrate their shortcomings.

Deputy Sheriff Niles was called to Dixfield the first part of last week to secure for one of the Dixfield merchants \$3500, the amount a gypsy fortune teller succeeded in securing him for. It was the same old gag of putting money in the gypsy woman's hand while she told the fortune. In the case four five dollar bills were put in her hand and when the money was returned there was only three of the bills and the woman stoutly maintained that the merchant had only put three bills in her hand. As the merchant had watched the money very closely and had failed to detect her taking any of it he allowed her to deposit and then recounted up his cash account and found that he was five dollars short. He telephoned Sheriff Niles who went to the place at once. They succeeded in finding the woman who flatly denied taking the money. Niles informed the head man of the crew that the money must be returned or the woman would be arrested. The gypsy held to the last as long as possible claiming they had no money with which to settle the affair but a man who they saw that the officer wanted business they returned the five dollars to the merchant and paid the officer what he required for his trouble. The band attempted to make a stop at Rumford when they went through here, but Chief of Police Violette gave them fifteen minutes to get out of town and they were very soon on their way.

The Rumford Band will give a concert in Virginia, at the school grounds, on Friday evening, July 1st. The Ladies Aid will sell ice cream and cake lemonade, home made candy, etc., and hope for the usual patronage of the public. Come from near and far, and bring your dimes.

George Patten a member of Canton Ridgely, Patriarch Militant, L. O. O. F. of Portland, was in Portland Friday when Canton Ridgely entertained for the day Canton Eagle of Haverhill, Mass., and Canton Crescent of St. Johnsbury, Vt. The exercises included a sail down the harbor, dinner at Long Island, a parade in the city in the afternoon followed by a trolley ride, supper at Palmouth Hotel and a visit to Keith's Theatre in the evening. He reports a fine day's outing.

Dr. A. E. Sheely attended the meeting of the Maine Dental Society which was held at the Rangleway Lake House, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of last week and reports a very enjoyable as well as instructive meeting. Dr. Sheely gave a clinic on the subject, "Methods of Repairing Broken Bridge Work." The other representative of Oxford County was Dr. H. P. Jones of Norway who also took a prominent part in the meeting. On Friday evening an entertainment of readings, music and sketches was given and the artists appearing gave a high class entertainment. This was followed by a reception and ball. Also on Friday Dr. Roberts of Augusta celebrated his 50 year as a dentist and in honor of the event the Society presented him a beautiful silver loving cup. Among the noted dentists from out of the State who spoke at the meeting were Dr. Brigham of South Framingham, Mass., and Dr. Tracy of Brockton, Mass. At the annual meeting Dr. Blanchard of Portland was elected President. Dr. Peaslee of Lewiston, secretary and Dr. Roberts of Augusta, treasurer.

## MEXICO.

Mexico's Fire Dept. is doing home stunts in the base ball line. They defeated Rumford again in the game on Monday afternoon.

Tuesday afternoon was a prominent one for the Aid Society of the Congregational Church, when the church was visited by the Ladies who were fully paid and the notes burned. A very nice entertainment was enjoyed.

John Dodd was at home over Sunday and left the first of the week for New York State where he has a position.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Clifford and three children Philip, Gladys and Edwin spent Sunday at his home at South Falls.

A. F. J. Calahan spent Sunday in Portland. Frank Keene is spending several weeks with his father, N. L. Keene, and his aunt, Mrs. W. N. Hodgdon.

Next Sunday at the Congregational Church will be observed as Children's Sunday, with a concert by the children in the morning at 10:30, and a talk to the children by the pastor, Rev. J. G. Fisher. Sunday School will be omitted and Holy Communion will be observed in its place.

Frank Colby, who spent Sunday at the beach returned home Monday.

Miss Childs returned home from Lewiston last Saturday where she is taking a course at Bliss Business College.

Wallace Gleason, has accepted a position as brakeman on the M. C. R. R. Born to the wife of Ernest Sargent on June 23rd, a nine pound daughter.

Mrs. C. P. Latham of West Pownal, Me., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. S. M. Swift.

Maude Wieg is working for Mrs. Charles Stanley.

R. W. Whitehouse has moved from the Marsh house into the Haskell house.

Mrs. A. E. Roberts and daughter Laura are spending a four weeks' vacation at her home in Nova Scotia.

Grace Childs who has been working at Mr. Kline's, has finished work there and went to work in the Bag mill Wednesday.

Cathion and Charlie Clifford returned from Milton, Wednesday, where they have been spending two weeks' with their grandmother, Mrs. F. D. Lapham.

**BEST PILGRIMAGE EVER ENJOYED.**

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pleasantly at the Mt. Madison House. In the evening a reception and ball was enjoyed. Mr. Knights of Gorbham and other neighboring places being the guests of Stratglass Community for this event. Whilst and other amusements were provided for those who did not care for the dancing.

The Pilgrimage ended Saturday morning and a few of the Knights started for home at that time, but many others continued their excursions to the mountains and other places of interest and did not arrive in Rumford until Sunday afternoon or evening.

The committee that attended to all the details of the successful affair, included Sir Knights Ralph M. Woodman, Fred O. Eaton, Elmer L. Lovejoy, Stanley Bisbee, Walter O. Morse, Cicca H. Osmond, Fred H. Alwood, Walter J. Bray, Gerald A. Peabody.

The party included the following Sir Knights and ladies:

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Melcher.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Lovejoy.  
Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Goding.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Bartlett.  
Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Pettengill.  
Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Pettengill.  
Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Gates.  
Mr. T. P. Holt and lady, Dixfield.  
Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Thomas.  
Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Swift.  
Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Morse.  
Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Reynolds.  
Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Trask.  
Mr. and Mrs. George M. Locke.  
Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Eaton.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Eaton.  
Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Blanchard.  
Mr. and Mrs. Walter O. Morse.  
Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Woodman.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. M. McFarley.  
Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Bray.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Sturtevant, Dixfield.  
Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Thayer, Dixfield.  
Mr. and Mrs. James W. Harris.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Kennard.  
Mr. and Mrs. Henry R. Porter.  
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bisbee.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thayer.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sturtevant.

## BASE BALL.

Mexico F. D., 12; Rumford F. D., 11.

The Rumford Fire Department team was again defeated by one score by the Mexico Fire Department team in a game played on Gibson flats Monday afternoon. The game lacked considerable of being as well played as the first contest, but was more exciting. The score ran, along very evenly and there was a lot of clear hitting, a feature that any crowd enjoys.

Each team scored one run in the first inning. For Rumford Stienfeld hit safely, advanced on Wagner's error and scored on Gilpatrick's hit. Two two-base hits by Gleason and Staples gave Mexico their run. In the third with two men out, Gilpatrick got a hit and stole second. Cobb was safe on Houston's error and both scored on Rolfe's hit. For Mexico, Wagner got a hit and scored on Down's two batters. Staples got a hit that scored Downs.

Rumford took the lead again in the fifth. C. Stanwood got a hit and was advanced by Gilpatrick's hit but was caught off second by a throw from Furbush. Cobb got a base on balls and Rolfe put another hit into the outfield that scored the two base runners. Two base hits by Gleason and Staples gave Mexico one of the runs back. Nothing more was done until the last half of the sixth and this was awful from a Rumford standpoint. The Mexico batters got to Stienfeld with a vengeance. Five singles, two two batters and an error allowing them to score seven runs before Stanwood took the place of Stienfeld in this box. The delay in changing pitchers cost Rumford the game. While it is true that some of these hits should have been taken care of by the Rumford outfielders, it is also just as true that Mexico was hitting the ball hard and Stienfeld should have been relieved earlier. Rumford came back strong in the seventh. C. Stanwood got a hit and Gilpatrick connected with the ball for the best hit of the game. It was a clean three bagger but he did not stop at third and reached home in safety as Gleason dropped the throw to the plate. Cobb followed with another hit. Rolfe was safe on Wagner's error and St. Pierre was allowed to go to first on a dropped third strike although by the rules of the game he was not neither the players nor the umpires seemed to be aware of the fact. Burditt struck out, Isaacson was hit by a pitched ball and a run forced in. Stienfeld went out on a foul fly and with bases still filled H. Stanwood struck out.

There was no more scoring until the first of the ninth, when amidst the greatest excitement Rumford again tied the score. Rolfe started with a hit and stole second. He went to third when Wagner fumbled St. Pierre's rap. Landry batted for Burditt and sent a fly to left field which Staples failed to handle and Rolfe scored. Isaacson hit to Huston who threw to the plate, Gleason dropped the throw and St. Pierre scored. Stienfeld hit to Downs and again Gleason dropped the throw to throw to the plate and Landry scored, the tying run. H. Stanwood struck out. C. Stanwood got a hit. Gleason made a great catch of Gilpatrick's foul fly and Wagner prevented further scoring when he threw out Cobb at first.

Mexico won out in their half. Downs and Staples got hits. Broomhall struck out. Huston hit to C. Stanwood and Downs beat the throw to the plate, scoring the winning run with only one man out.

The features of the game were the fielding of Cobb, the work of Gleason on foul flies and the hitting of Staples for Mexico and Gilpatrick for Rumford.

## THE SCORE.

MEXICO FIRE DEPARTMENT.										
A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.			
Wagner, 2 b.	5	2	2	0	2	4				
Gleason, C.	5	2	2	1	2	3				
Furbush, p.	3	1	1	1	3	0				
Downs, 3d b.	5	3	3	1	0	0				
Staples, 1 b.	5	1	5	0	1					
Broomhall, 1 b.	4	1	1	1	0	0				
Huston, 2d b.	5	1	0	1	2	2				
Rolfe, 1st b.	4	1	1	1	0	2				
D. Furbush, 1 b.	4	0	0	0	1					
Totals.	42	12	15	27	11	11				

RUMFORD FIRE DEPARTMENT.										
A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.			
Isaacson, 2d b.	6	0	1	0	3	0				
Stienfeld, p. and 1st b.	6	1	1	4	3	0				
H. Stanwood 1st b. & p.	6	0	0	1	3	1				
C. Stanwood, 3d b.	6	0	3	1	2	1				
Gilpatrick, C.	6	3	4	7	0	0				
Cobb, 2d.	5	3	1	0	6	0				
Rolfe, 1st b.	5	1	1	0	0	2				
St. Pierre, 1 b.	5	1	0	0	0	0				
Conlonabe, 1 b.	5	1	0	0	0	0				
Burditt, 1 b.	2	0	0	0	0	0				
Landry, 1 b.	1	0	0	0	0	0				
Totals.	42	11	14	25	17	17				

Two base hits, Stienfeld; Gleason, 2. Wagner, Downs, Staples, 2. Three base hit, Gilpatrick; stolen bases, Stienfeld; Gilpatrick, 2; Cobb, Rolfe, Staples, bases on balls, Furbush, 1; struck out by Stanwood, 2; Furbush, 1. Hit by pitched ball, by Furbush, 1. Hit off Stienfeld, 13 in 6 innings, off Stanwood 2 in 3 innings. Umpires, Nath. Shean, Scores, Thayer.

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"So many gods, so many creeds,  
So many paths that wind and wind;  
While just the art of being kind,  
Is all the sad world needs."

#### Needles and Pins.

"Aunt Mary, will you give me any  
things you have ready for the wash?  
Ellen likes to put them in soak over  
night," said young Mrs. Lee, enter-  
ing the room which her aunt occupied  
during the summer visit says the  
Housewife.

"Yes, I should like to put in a few  
minutes while I look them over."

Mrs. Lee seated herself in the little  
rocking chair, and looked while her  
nunt took down her pretty laundry  
bag and examined the contents.

"Why Auntie," she said "what  
makes you so particular? You look at  
every piece and pass your hand over  
it. Now I can get all mine together  
in three minutes."

Her aunt laughed, too. "Perhaps I am  
over particular," she said. But I am  
looking for pins or needles."

"Pins! needles!" exclaimed Mrs.  
Lee.

"Yes, and I must tell you why.  
It is curious how some things stay by  
us, and influence us all our lives.

When I was quite a little girl we had  
an excellent workwoman who came to  
our house every week. She was poor  
with a family dependent on her."

"One day when she came into my  
mother's room very pale, and holding  
her hand as if it hurt her.

"It's a needle run into my hand  
from some of the clothes, and I  
can't pull it out!" she said.

"Mother became pale, too, but she  
took the hand tenderly, and tried to  
pull out the needle. She did pull out  
a part of it, but the end had broken off  
about a quarter of an inch from the  
point and remained embedded.

"She pointed the woman's hand  
and did all she could at the time, and  
the poor woman went home.

"Her hand swelled up badly during  
the week and became very painful,  
the pain reaching to her elbow. My mother  
sent the doctor to see her, and he lanced  
the hand, but could not find the point.

After some days it came out itself from  
the wrist—an entirely different spot  
from the one where it went in. She  
then recovered, but it was a long time  
before she could wash again.

"Mother reproached herself bitterly  
whenever she thought of such a thing  
happening to her poor woman  
and after that she was very careful  
to look closely at every garment that  
might possibly have a pin or needle  
left in it.

"So now I always search too. There!  
here is a pin now, in the belt of this  
white apron."

"Well, Auntie," said Mrs. Lee,  
drawing a long breath, "you have laid  
a spell over me now! I never forget a  
story I hear about any one. I shall be  
pursued by the thought of that poor  
woman's hand all night, if I don't look  
my washing over, piece by piece, be-  
fore I give it to Ellen."

"It will be time easily spent," said  
Aunt Mary.

LEARNING FOR women should  
never cause discontent in the home.  
It is inevitable that the vast change  
in surroundings should change ideas of  
the girls, but why should we leave  
earth for the skies? Colleges, through  
education and broadening of the mind,  
should and will impress the women  
and future matters of the nation with  
the importance of their influence on  
the home. Intelligence, tolerance,  
self, a good understanding of charac-  
ter, and above all true womanliness, are  
the powers they are taught to possess  
and to use. A girl who has these, or ac-  
quires them, will win the confidence  
and love of all around her. Is it a  
mere nothing to try each day to do  
some small act of kindness for others  
in the family? And how welcome a  
little thoughtfulness on the part of  
another—a ray of sunlight in the dark.  
Like sunbeams these kindly acts will  
accumulate, added to day by day, will  
they form a great beacon of light  
shining to every one in gloom and de-  
pendence. And what will this beacon  
light prove to be? The influence of some  
sweet, thoughtful, womanly woman?

HOW MANY can do great things?  
Only a chosen few—only a few who  
have power to fill the soul and heart  
with longings—deep and high at the  
same time. But do these inspired long-  
ings carry far—do they help over story  
places in this great, sad world of care?  
I think not. It always seems to me that  
a great idea laid before us by one of  
these chosen few is translated to the or-  
dinary matter of fact life most of us  
lead in any simple family, where each  
one feels a helping hand to turn the  
wheels of the household, how strange,  
and out of place would seem a rush of  
high down thought. A young girl  
leaves her usual home to enter some  
woman's college. After four years of  
study she has acquired a taste for  
"higher" thoughts than reforming  
home, her surroundings seem crude and  
she finds herself after some breeding  
outside out of her sphere. She cannot  
unhappily through the family and  
household is herself unhappy. Is not  
all this due to the fact that the girl  
has tried to envelope herself in ideas  
which belong only to the "chosen  
few," and in so doing she has forgot-  
ten little deeds of self-sacrifice and  
love? To her it would seem too trivial a  
thing to fill a vase with the sweet wild  
flowers and place them where they  
would brighten a tired eye. Or when  
"words" spring up and ranking as  
such, to be a housekeeper. Her idea is  
to raise the thoughts of the family to  
elevate their surroundings to the same  
higher ideas she has learned to ap-  
preciate by the teachings she enjoyed  
for four years. But plain laid home

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to her home thinking so will sooner or  
later find herself to be sadly mistaken.

THE EVILS OF NAGGING AND  
SCOLDING.

We all hate a scold, but scolding has  
to be done occasionally. We are com-  
pelled to scold our children when they  
are naughty, our servants when they  
prove disobedient; least and last of all  
should a woman scold her husband if  
she cares to keep love at home.

There is an art in scolding, but to  
practice it effectively we must keep  
our temper well in hand, and wait until  
our anger has cooled, to administer that  
word castigation which often cuts more  
deeply than the lash of a whip. Scold-  
ings lose their efficacy by being con-  
stantly repeated, but a few sharp words  
in season often act like a tonic and  
clear the atmosphere of the home.

With children, above all, if we wish to  
be respected, we should never show  
temper or raise our voice. Our children  
are often our judges. "I will speak  
to you in an hour," acts far more pow-  
erfully than the most violent display of  
passion.

Good breeding is shown by gentle-  
ness and perfect self-control under any  
circumstances. When the child has  
been spoken to and knows his punish-  
ment, he must be told to leave the room  
instead of being allowed to treat him-  
self to a feast of tears and a storm of  
sobs, which pave the way, if the moth-  
er is weak, in a reconciliation which  
plays havoc with her authority more  
than anything else can possibly do.

I have said, and I maintain, that  
there should be no such thing as  
"scolding" between husband and wife.  
Matters, however serious, can be dis-  
cussed dispassionately, always out of  
children's hearing for no woman should  
allow her children to become aware  
that there is any friction or distur-  
bance between the parents.

Now as to the servants, we have to  
start from the fact that servants are  
human beings very much like ourselves.  
The social gulf is more fictitious in  
depth than in fact, and we have to con-  
sider how we should like to be in their  
place, working a round of menial  
duties, like a squirrel in a cage, all  
day long. We must therefore endeavor  
to be just—it would better to be  
kind.

Never scold or nag a servant because  
it will only make matters worse. Talk  
in a straight, common sense way—  
woman to woman—making it clear that  
as nothing unreasonable is asked, you  
mean to be obeyed. Let the "scold-  
ing" be methodically gone through as  
soon as possible after the fault has been  
committed, but be brief, because it is far  
more telling. State facts clearly and  
concisely, and tell the maid to go and  
"think it over." If the servant is  
worth keeping she will mend; if not, it  
is best to let her go.

Women would do well to remember  
that scolding will mark the face with  
unwisely lines so beauty doctor can  
eradicate that to disturb the currents  
of life and mar the harmony is little  
short of a crime. Scolding is no good  
woman's province; it is an unpleasant  
medicine that should only be adminis-  
tered in small doses in cases of dire  
necessity.

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## LOCAL HISTORY.

## Ancient Records Relating to Bethel.

Incidental Memorandum--By  
Leonard B. Chapman.  
Number 62.

A ferry in a place where persons, animals, vehicles and merchandise are transported over water from one point to another, upon a raft or in a boat, usually from one bank of a river to the opposite bank, or an arm of the sea extending into the land, but which are also connected by ferry boats; then, to establish a successful ferry three essential are requisite--a demand, a boat and a ferryman.

From the earliest settlement of Bethel, Hartford and other places, bordering upon or divided by the waters of the Androscoggin river, a way to cross the river has been in demand. At first a raft, made of logs, upon which the water was too high to admit of landing, and boats for pedestrians were used under the ban of the law when heavily laden.

Several of these places have been in use in Bethel from the first settlement, two being in use now, the bridge spanning the central crossing near Bethel Hill, known as long as it existed as "Barker's Ferry."

At first poles and cars were used and the method of crossing was such that a small boat was used when the force of the running water was put to use as now observed.

The same and safety in crossing depended upon the velocity of the water of the river, the style of the boats in use must be changed but they did not vary much from the present shape of the gondola now in use along the coast of our State, only the ferry boat is entered at either end.

The boat was intended to depart and return to the same spot but this was not always the case. When the water was high, and the velocity of the current swift or moderately so, the boat would land down the stream; then a long pole was used, a man holding one end standing in the boat while the other performed the part of a tow path here upon a canal. Before me is a photograph of a boat used between Bethel and Hartford. It is built upon a platform, just wide enough to carry one vehicle and carrying a platform upon each end of the boat, attached by heavy iron hinges and arranged that the landing end of the platform is somewhat elevated which makes the approach to and departure from the boat easy without confining the boat to one particular point of embarkation or landing.

In the year of A. D. 1811 the first law was enacted in Massachusetts relative to ferries. It provided that a new should not be used for the purpose of ferrying.

An act approved Feb. 14, 1797 that

was passed by the Great and General Court of Massachusetts "relative to the use of ferries and that also of 1797 and gave authority to the Court of General Sessions of the peace of the county that was composed of twelve to fifteen Justices of the Peace that served as a grand jury and ordered punishment for minor offenses to establish such ways as the Court thought best." In the place of the Court of General Sessions which then existed in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, we have here in Maine the Court of County Commissioners composed of three persons that serve in place of the Court. "The Androscoggin County" of the County.

March 2, 1799, the second town meeting was held at the residence of Capt. Anna Hastings at Middle Intervale.

At the first no action was taken relative to ferries but at this second meeting Eli Twitchell, Josiah Bean and Lieut. Jonathan Clark were chosen a committee "to locate the ferries and fix the prices of toll."

This town meeting action was against the written law of the land, but there were few law-books then and so law was of only a very few, and town meeting legislation was accepted.

March 2, 1803, it was voted to grant ferry privileges against Jesse Dutton's place, "against John Russell's and against Samuel Barker's."

OXFORD COUNTY COURT OF COMMON PLEAS 1810.

"Samuel Barker is admitted and licensed a Ferryman in the West Parish, in the Town of Bethel, near the dwelling house of said Barker, across the Androscoggin River, at the following rates--namely:

For each man and horse \$0.05  
For a single man 0.04  
For a wagon two horses and driver 0.25  
For one pair of oxen and a man 0.12  
For one pair of oxen and cart 0.12  
For every additional pair of oxen 0.10  
For each cow kind 0.05  
For each cow kind 0.04  
For all other small neat creatures 0.01  
For each sheep and swine 0.01  
For each horse and driver 0.17  
A true copy as recorded.

Attest--Cyrus Hamlin, Clerk."

In the year of 1813 a road was accepted "beginning near John Merrill's on the north side of the river, on the road leading to the Newry Hill, at the corner of Nathaniel Barker's field and running east of south to the field and across the river at Sand Rips, so called, then up the river to the ferrage place, to be a bridge road to the river and over the river to the ferrage place, and an open road two rods wide from the ferrage way to the empty road."

This record is of some historical value. It establishes the fact that in 1813 a horseback path then called a bridge road, which means a way for a person on horseback, was laid out from the road from Mayville to Newry near Sand Rips, across the river, there a two rod road to the empty road, or road from Bethel Hill to Middle Intervale.

No further town meeting action was taken till 1822 when it was voted to establish eleven guide boards to wit:

## Hood's Sarsaparilla

Cures all blood humors, all eruptions, clears the complexion, creates an appetite, aids digestion, relieves that tired feeling, gives vigor and vim.

Get it today in usual liquid form or chocolate tablets called Sarsatabs.

"One at the pine woods near Kendall's Ferry and two at Dutton's Ferry."

PARIS, NOV. 24, 1822.

"Dear Sir,

"Sir: I enclose by order of the Court of Sessions a copy of the rates of toll or ferrage, at all the ferries over the Androscoggin River, in the County of Oxford, as established by said Court at the Oct. Term 1822, holden by adjournment in November following, of which you will please take notice and govern yourself accordingly.

Respectfully, Your Obedt. Servant, Rufus K. Goodnow, Clerk of Court of Sessions."

Then ferry matters rested till 1823 when it was voted to accept a bridge road over to St. John's Ferry and to Edmund Chapman's mill.

The Dutton Ferry was located below Middle Intervale which was known later as Barker's Ferry.

In 1823 it was voted to petition the selectmen to discontinue the road over Dutton's Ferry from one county road to the other.

The price for a bridge in place of a boat at Barker's Ferry had now become numerous, land and long, and among the "Aids and Resolves" of our Maine Legislature is one that reads as follows:

AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE PROPRIETORS OF BETHEL BRIDGE.

(Approved March 20, 1833.)

NATHAN K. TWITCHELL, William Frye, Ezra T. Russell, Nathaniel Barker, John Grever, Aaron Mason, Francis Barker, Moses Barker.

The bridge to be built from abutments across the Androscoggin river at Bethel and to be twenty-one feet wide. When the net income of the bridge shall have reimbursed the expense of building and keeping the same in repair, with twelve per cent interest added thereto shall revert to the State. Failing to act for a period of three years this Act shall be void.

The "company failing to act" with in the time specified the enterprise fell.

I do not give the whole copy of the Act, only an abstract.

(To be continued.)

NOTABLE OBSERVANCE OF ST. JOHN'S DAY.

(Continued from page one).

On the American, French and Irish flags. On Main Avenue, at the head of Franklin street, on Pine street, on Wells street and on Newford Avenue, large evergreen arches had been built over the streets, attractively decorated with bunting, flags and flowers, the arch on Main Avenue and Pine street being particularly beautiful and showing that a large amount of work had been done to their construction.

The scene supported by the arch on Pine street was a thing of beauty, being made of hot house roses of all shades. The parade passed under the Main Avenue arch, four boys in white, tall and from the top of the arch carried and sang. When the Pine street arch was reached, little girls arrayed as angels performed the same duty, making a very beautiful scene. Girls in white were also stationed in the Wells street and Newford Avenue arches for the same purpose.

At three o'clock in the afternoon, Father Walsh, assisted by Rev. Fr. J. A. LaFlamme, went to the St. Athanasius church and invited Rev. Fr. A. J. Barry in a Confirmation service, 75 children being confirmed at the service at this church, making 317 children confirmed by the Bishop during his visit to Bethel.

The last exercises of the day were held at Carey Opera House in the evening and consisted of a concert by the St. Athanasius, two vocal solos and a short address by Mr. Varon of Washington, Secretary of the St. Jean de Baptiste Society of America.

In closing, it is only adding that we should speak a word of praise for the St. Athanasius. They arrived from Lewiston, Saturday afternoon and marched up Congress street to the various places in the village where they were to be entertained. During the parade Sunday, they were the center of attraction for a vast number. At the concert in the evening, their playing was of the highest order and their ability is truly remarkable. They were generous with their music and when they arrived at the Carey Opera House, they played several selections for the benefit of those who had come to see them and congratulate them on their playing.

Corporation Master Hocking is made of wood felt, saturated with boiling asphalt and then treated with a special waterproofing compound so that it is not affected by heat or cold. It can be put on the steepest roof without fear of its running and is almost everlasting in its wearing quality. Ask Hastings Bros. more about it.

KEEP THE KING AT HOME.

"For the past year we have kept the King at all times--Dr. King's New Life Pills--in our home and they have proved a blessing to all our family," writes Paul Mathias, of Bethel, N. Y. "But more recently for all stomach, liver and kidney troubles. Only 50c. at Cass, Portland of Rumford Falls, Nathan Reynolds of Canton, N. J. Reynolds of Rochester, C. A. Barker of Bethel."

## CANTON HAPPENINGS.

As Observed and Told by the Citizen Reporter.

Hon. John P. Swasey returned from Washington, D. C., Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Virgin of Auburn have been guests of her niece, Mrs. C. R. Smith.

Mrs. A. W. Ellis is assisting in caring for Mrs. Mary Gammon.

The next meeting of the Universalist Circle will be held with Mrs. E. E. Westgate.

Among the graduates of the E. L. H. S. of Lewiston were Sherman Rowe and Louise Atwood, former Canton residents.

Mrs. Scott Doten and two children of Brookline, Mass., arrived last week at their farm in Hartford.

Miss Cyllie DeCoster has returned from Washington, D. C., for the summer vacation.

O. M. Richardson was at Lewiston, Wednesday.

The disappearance of Charles Brown of Hartford, which happened some three months ago, is as much of a mystery as ever. Mr. Brown was engaged in the manufacture of barrels at Belgrade, when he paid off his help and suddenly disappeared. His father, Harry Brown, heard of it and knowing that he had quite a sum of money was naturally alarmed, fearing foul play. The affair has been kept quiet hoping some light might be thrown upon the mystery, and the matter put in the hands of the county attorney of Kennebec county, who reports that he has made a thorough investigation and can find no evidence of foul play, or the slightest trace of him in any manner since the date of his disappearance. Efforts are being made to locate him to ease the mind of his aged father. He is a man of good habits and a Mason.

The death of the infant daughter of Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Carver of Charleston, is reported.

Mrs. E. B. Caldwell and son Ralph of Leeds have been visiting in town. Mrs. Russell and son of Peru have been visiting at A. P. Russell's.

Lillian Walker is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Minnie Glover of Andover.

The entertainment which was given last week by Poncebabe Rebekah Lodge to a full house will be repeated Friday evening July 1st. The minstrels will have new songs, new jokes, etc. A dance will follow and one of the Rebekahs' fine suppers will be served.

The marriage of Clarence French of Woodville to Miss May Robertson will be solemnized June 30th. Mr. French is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Harmon French, formerly of Canton.

Mrs. L. H. McCollister of Mechanic Falls is visiting relatives in town.

The marriage of Mildred Adkins and Ernest Freeman, both of Canton, was solemnized at the M. H. parsonage in Lewiston, June 15th.

Mrs. George Childs has been visiting her parents, Henry Lane and wife of Dixfield.

Joe W. Micknell sprained his ankle badly one day last week and is laid up for a time.

Twink, a son and daughter, arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dillingham, June 21st.

Marco Lavorgna was in town a few days last week. He was accompanied by his wife, Mrs. M. E. Lavorgna, who will remain until the 4th of July celebration in August.

Miss Minnie Hall, who owned a successful school at Canton Point last week is at with measles at her aunt's home in Andover.

Walter Stetson of Lewiston has been visiting his uncle, M. H. Packard and family.

Mabel Blanchard of Portland is with Mrs. Marguerite and Catherine Holle.

Mrs. Lucy Lamkin of Lynn, Mass., is a guest of her brother, John Maxwell and wife.

John Trigg and Roy Rich of Canton Point are ill with measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Peabody of Dixfield and Mrs. Chas. Lane and son Marion of East Peru were guests of W. A. Lucas and wife, Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Peabody will move to the Dixfield toll house this week, where they will have charge of the toll bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allen of Hartford are both very ill with rheumatic fever.

Relatives in town have received word of the birth of a son, June 28th, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Austin of Redlands, Cal.

Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Morse and Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Reynolds went to Gorham, N. H., by auto Friday, where the Sir Knights of Stratfield Commandery of Rumford entertained the ladies.

At Canton, June 20th, the marriage of Edgar White of Dixfield and Miss Ina Burgess of Hartford was solemnized, G. H. Gilbert, Esq. officiating. The bride in the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Burgess of Hartford.

Guy Rich has recovered from a severe attack of measles.

Ellery Poland is in poor health. The meeting of the Jersey Breeders Association was held Tuesday at the home of Herbert Tucker of Livermore. A public supper was served, Wednesday night at the parsonage.

Mrs. Fannie Childs attended the funeral of Mrs. Myrtilla Newman at Dixfield Wednesday.

Canton people will be sorry to learn of the accident to Prof. H. B. Lawrence of Holyoke, Mass., Wednesday night when he broke his right leg. Mr. Lawrence was a teacher in the Canton village school years ago. He is seventy years of age and has been a professor in the Appleton St. school of Holyoke for over 35 years.

Agnes Heald returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Ezra Keene and son of East Sumner have been guests of Cyrus Heald and family.

Rev. Mr. Coy preached at the United Baptist church, Sunday.

Ellie Sampson has moved from East Dixfield to Gilbertville.

Mrs. Harriet Peabody called on old friends and acquaintances Friday. Mrs. Peabody with her daughter, Mrs. Zella Dyer and children of Washington, D. C., are spending a season at Weld.

Mr. and Mrs. Churchill, daughter and grandson of Bridgewater, Mass., have been guests of Mrs. Churchill's sister, Mrs. A. J. Foster and family. Mrs. Churchill will remain with her sister for a time, the rest of the party returning to their home.

W. E. ROSSERMAN'S SUCCESS.

W. E. Rosserman the enterprising druggist rather than await the ordinary methods of introduction, urged the Dr. Howard Co. to secure a quick sale of their celebrated specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia by offering the regular 50c bottle at half-price.

In addition to selling a 50c bottle of Dr. Howard's specific W. E. Rosserman has so much faith in the remedy that he will refund the money to anyone whom it does not cure.

When your head aches, your stomach does not digest food easily and naturally when there is constipation, specks before the eyes, tired feeling, giddiness, bad taste in the mouth, coated tongue, heart burn, sour stomach, roasting or ringing in the ears, melancholy and liver troubles Dr. Howard's specific will cure you. If it does not, it will not cost you a cent.

June 23d.

These Clever Ads. McTeather's verse is moving-- It's always so, you see, Because the only sort he writes Is street car poetry.

## DANGER IN DELAY.

Kidney Diseases Are Too Dangerous for Bethel and Rumford Falls People to Neglect.

The great danger of kidney troubles is that they get a firm hold before the sufferer recognizes them. Health is gradually undermined. Backache, headache, nervousness, lameness, soreness, lumbago, urinary troubles, dropsy, diabetes and Bright's diseases follow in marvellous succession. Don't neglect your kidneys. Cure the kidneys with the certain and safe remedy, Doan's Kidney Pills, which has cured people right here in Rumford Falls. W. D. Burr, 136 Franklin Street, Rumford Falls, Maine, says: "I am recommending Doan's Kidney Pills as I have found them to be a very reliable remedy. They cured me of kidney trouble and rheumatism after all the other medicines I had used had failed to even give me relief. I intend to keep Doan's Kidney Pills on hand all the time, as I know they will not fail to give relief should my old trouble return." For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-McLiburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name--Doan's--and take no other.

## PROBATE NOTICES.

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ten. The following matter having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held in said Paris, on the third Tuesday of July, A. D. 1910, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Edwin C. Rowe late of Bethel, deceased; first account presented for allowance by Irving L. Carver, administrator.

Thomas G. Kimball late of Albany, deceased; will and petition for probate thereof presented by Adolbert P. Bryant, the executor therein named.

Lewis A. Sanborn late of Bethel, deceased; will and petition for probate thereof presented by H. H. Hastings the executor therein named.

ADDISON E. HERRICK Judge of said Court. ALBERT D. PARK, Register. A true copy--attest: 6-30-31.

## A \$500.00 CHALLENGE.

An interesting controversy is being indulged in on the Upper Lakes in connection with the relative speed of the SS "Hamonic" of the Northern Navigation Co. and the SS "Kewatin" of the C. P. Ry.

It is claimed by the latter that it has been demonstrated she could speed faster than the SS "Hamonic" and the SS "Canadian" has challenged two of their contemporaries that the Steamship Hamonic, the first time she comes across either the "Kewatin" or the "Assiniboia" of the C. P. Ry. will pass these vessels and in good faith have deposited a certified check for \$500.00.

"Old Glory" smiled. One heart is looking up to the sweep of the sun lighted. The pilot of fal to seal.

The bells chimed down's first. As from Eng strove to be. Yet, when cannon's de Our hearts were needed to be.

O, why must the he trailing. Forever in the best youth! And why is the availing. To carry right truth!

We need not arm rattle. Of muskets, or set shot; We but need honest battle. Armed ever with sword" sharp.

We need in our rich Henry. Who will not hamper the I. We need a new dress enemy. Greedful errors the white ale.

We need a new first, who ble With his grand fatherly; We need his str ways to arren. And guide us, from above.

We need in each manly. That shall far one's self; We need to reach unity. To a patriot's self.

Then will our gro in her beauty. And bloom fair from Tell's duty. Her daughter's ing land.

"Old Glory" we their willingness.

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Do you want to know about a wonderful new time, health and money-saving kitchen convenience?

Then you should see the complete line of "1892" Pure Spin Aluminum Cooking Utensils now on exhibition at your dealers.

This ware is guaranteed by the makers for 25 years. It is absolutely pure, wholesome and thoroughly hygienic, will not crack, scale, peel, break, rust, tarnish, scorch or burn.



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Corset Covers, were 35c, for 19c.

1 doz. Drawers, trimmed with embroidery and lace, were 39c, for 19c.

1 lot Night Gowns, were 89c, for 42c.

1 doz. Black Heatherbloom Petticoats, trimmed with embroidery, were \$1.00, for 95c.

1 lot Black Petticoats, were \$1.50, for 79c.

5 doz. White Waists, trimmed with insertion, sleeves and front, were \$5.00, for 75c.

Wrappers that were \$1.50, for 72c.

Princess Dresses, were \$1.50, for 98c.

10 Corsets were \$1.50, for 75c.

Rain Coats, were \$10.00, for \$4.57.

Belt that were \$1.00, for 05c.

" " " 35c, for 15c.

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